

**INTEGRATED WASTE  
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# MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

## INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The Integrated Waste Management Technical Advisory Committee may take action on any item appearing on the agenda contained herein.

**Thursday, May 3, 2018**

**1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

**Conference Room 271 (Located on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor)**

County of San Diego  
Department of Public Works  
5510 Overland Avenue  
San Diego, CA 92123

**Chair: County of San Diego**

**If any accommodations are needed, please contact Eric Wolff (contact info below). Requests should be made as soon as possible but at least 3 days prior to the scheduled meeting.**

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**INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT  
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE**  
**Thursday, May 3, 2018 – Agenda**

**1. QUORUM** (at least 10 jurisdiction representatives must be present)

**2. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**

**3. REVIEW OF THE APRIL 5, 2018 MEETING SUMMARY**

**APPROVE**

**4. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

**COMMENT**

*Guests who wish to speak on a matter that does not appear on the agenda may do so during the Public Comments and Communications period.*

**5. CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT**

**INFORMATION**

**6. PRESENTATIONS**

**INFORMATION**

**a. Smart Kitchens San Diego**

Barbara Hamilton - San Diego Food System Alliance

**b. Motor Vehicle Network**

Sandy Savage-Pederson- Motor Vehicle Network

**c. San Diego Regional Waste Tire Enforcement Program**

Bill Prinz & Rick Gloria - City of San Diego – LEA

**d. Glass Recycling Made Simple**

Rose King – Glass King Recycling

**INFORMATION**

**7. SUBCOMMITTEES’ REPORT**

**INFORMATION**

**a. Household Hazardous Waste**

**b. Organics**

**8. LEGISLATION**

**INFORMATION**

**Eric Wolff:** Will review pending legislation that may be of interest to TAC members.

**9. ROUNDTABLE**

**INFORMATION**

TAC Members may present items of interest to the Committee regarding topics not covered in the agenda

**10. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS**

**INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT  
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
Thursday, March 1, 2018 – Meeting Summary**

**Attendance**

**Members:**

Avecita Jones, City of Carlsbad  
Clem Brown, City of Del Mar  
Bill Wilson, City of Encinitas  
Lori Calvert, City of Escondido  
Wbaldo Arellano, City of Imperial Beach  
Carla Hutchinson, City of National City  
Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside  
Pam Gravel, City of Poway  
Julie Sands Tyne, City of San Diego  
Heather Heckman, City of Santee  
Leslie Webb-Blanco, City of Vista

**Guests:**

Mary Matava, AgriService  
John Lisicki, Clean Can  
Jillian Oxendine, Global Disposal  
Bob Hill, EDCO  
Nicole Radovich Bitner, Global Disposal  
Sarah Davis, City of Oceanside  
April Andrews, Goodwill San Diego  
Moriah Saldaña, I Love A Clean San Diego  
Erika Kinninger, City of San Diego  
Bill Prinz, City of San Diego LEA  
Ellyn Law, County of San Diego  
Melissa Porter, County of San Diego DEH  
Alison Schlick, Zero Waste San Diego

**Staff:** Jennifer Winfrey, County of San Diego

**Meeting Summary**

**1. QUORUM**

The Chair determined that quorum was met and called the meeting to order.

**2. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**

Jurisdiction representatives and guests introduced themselves.

**3. APPROVAL OF THE MARCH 1, 2018 MEETING SUMMARY**

Clem Brown, City of Del Mar motioned to approve the March 1, 2018 Meeting Summary. Julie Sands Tyne, City of San Diego seconded. Rest “Ayes.”  
Motion Carried to approve the Meeting Summary.

**4. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

**Moriah Saldaña, I Love A Clean San Diego:** Moriah announced I Love A Clean San Diego’s upcoming events: South Bay Earth Day with the City of Chula Vista (4/7) and Creek to Bay Cleanup (4/21).

**Bill Prinz, City of San Diego- LEA:** Bill shared that the LEA has a waste tire enforcement grant and can present information regarding the regional waste tire enforcement program to the TAC, if members are interested.

**Melissa Porter, County of San Diego:** Melissa informed the group that the biannual Drug Enforcement Agency Drug Take Back Day will be held 4/28.

**Bob Hill, EDCO:** Bob announced that EDCO will be holding free document shredding events in Poway, Encinitas, Vista, National City, and Coronado for EDCO customers.

**Alison Schlick, Zero Waste San Diego:** Alison announced Zero Waste San Diego's upcoming events: South Bay Earth Day (4/7) where ZWSD will be hosting a reuse and repair fix-it clinic area, and the City of San Diego and EarthWorks EarthFair (4/22).

## **5. CHAIR PERSON'S REPORT**

**Jennifer Winfrey, County of San Diego:** Jennifer announced that the Registrar of Voters selected the recycling guide and used oil/toxic waste ad to be included in the sample ballot, if space allows. She also informed the group that voters have the option to have their sample ballots and voter information pamphlets emailed to them. To opt-out of mailed election materials, visit [voterstatus.sos.ca.gov](http://voterstatus.sos.ca.gov).

Jennifer also informed the group that the informational newsprint insert is scheduled to be printed at the end of May/early June, and mailed to unincorporated county residents and businesses shortly after.

Jennifer also highlighted the recent BioCycle conference which included informative presentations addressing curbside food collection programs, food donation, and composting facility siting. For any interested attendees, the presentations will be available online shortly.

Jennifer shared that the County is beginning research in order to select the target audience for an upcoming, large-scale advertising campaign. She requested any jurisdiction's demographics research, if available, be sent to her at [Jennifer.Winfrey@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:Jennifer.Winfrey@sdcounty.ca.gov).

Jennifer also shared that the County, and the Cities of San Diego and Chula Vista are sponsoring the Reuse & Repair Area at EarthFair in Balboa Park (4/22). Other upcoming events include: Lakeside Recycling Day (4/14), where the County has partnered with EDCO to collect tires, scrap metal, appliances and green waste; Pine Valley Clean Up Day (5/12), where the County has partnered with Environmental Health and Parks & Recreation to collect tires, household hazardous waste, electronics, and sharps.

## **6. SUBCOMMITTEE'S REPORT**

- a. Household Hazardous Waste-** No report.

**b. Organics-** No report.

## **7. LEGISLATION**

**Jennifer Winfrey, County of San Diego:** Jennifer shared information on the GUPPYFRIEND™ washing bag. This is a protective washing bag that collects shedding plastic microfibers that result from washing synthetic garments. After washing, you remove and dispose of the bag's collected microfibers which would have otherwise entered local waterways.

Jennifer also reported on the following legislation-

Referred to Committee:

- AB 2379-would require a label warning washers of plastic microfiber shedding on all clothing made from 50% or more polyester
- AB 1933-would appropriate funds from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund for both organic waste recycling and solid waste recycling infrastructure projects
- AB 1981-would develop and implement policies to promote the composting of organics waste and use of that compost throughout the state.
- AB 2411-would require CalRecycle to develop and implement a plan to maximize the use of compost for slope stabilization and establishing vegetation after debris removal services following a fire
- AB 2493-would allow recycling centers in convenience zones to remain eligible to receive handling fee payments
- AB 2766-would extend beverage container recycling fund payments to recycling center, processor, or collection programs for washing and processing plastic beverage containers into flake, pellet or other forms to 2024.
- AB 2779-would require single-use plastic beverage containers to have a connected cap
- AB 2832-would require the Department of Toxic Substances Control to develop a grant program to fund the development of recycling and reuse opportunities for lithium-ion batteries
- AB 2908-would require any waste tire generator to pay a California tire regulatory fee
- AB 2921-would enact the Expanded Polystyrene Food Service Packaging Recovery and Recycling act
- AB 3036-would exclude from the California Integrated Waste Management Act of 1989's definition of "solid waste" byproducts from processing food, if those byproducts are intended for use as animal feed
- AB 3178-would authorize a jurisdiction to temporarily arrange for the disposal of recyclable material if the disposal is necessary for the facility to operate within its design or permit storage limits.
- AB 3187-would streamline the permitting process for anaerobic digestion facilities to allow holders of solid waste facility permits to modify those permits to include anaerobic digestion facilities

- SB 71-would allow haulers who operate outside of a franchise agreement to be sued in civil court for hauling waste
- AB 1884-would require straws to be available only by request in sit-down restaurants.

Set for Hearing:

- SB 1161-would require junk dealer and recyclers payment for nonferrous materials to be made in the form of a donation to a nonprofit organization unless the material is delivered by a junk dealer or recycler
- SB 1335-would prohibit food service facilities in a state agency from dispensing prepared food on disposable food service packaging unless the packaging is accepted and recovered at a rate of 75% or more by local recycling or composting programs

Failed/No Movement:

- AB 1036 (failed deadline)-would address contradicting regulations from state agencies regarding organics recycling facilities
- AB 2277 (hearing canceled at request of author) - would designate CalRecycle with the responsibility to certify solid waste facilities to incinerate home generated pharmaceutical waste
- SB 168 (held at desk) - would require CalRecycle to establish minimum recycled content standards for beverage containers
- SB 424 (failed deadline)- would establish the California Regional Environmental Education Community Network to facilitate the implementation of environmental literacy in California public schools

## 8. ROUNDTABLE

**Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside:** Colleen announced that Oceanside will be holding the Green Oceanside Earth Festival on Saturday, April 14. She also announced that the El Corazon food recovery culinary arts kitchen design phase is almost complete, with construction scheduled to be finished in January.

Colleen also asked the group whether any jurisdictions had experience hosting special HHW collection events in neighborhoods with limited vehicle access, as special collection event permits require participants to drive-through materials for drop-off.

**Avecita Jones, City of Carlsbad:** Avecita announced that the upcoming HHW Drop-off event on April 14 already has 1,100 registrants! She also shared the details of the upcoming Earth Day Celebration, which will be held April 21 at the Georgina Cole Library and will include free composting workshops and the Ecology Center's double decker bus.

Avecita also informed the group that the Carlsbad Safety Training Center manager recently found a facility that recycles plastic shotgun shells. Contact information is available upon request for any interested members.

Avecita also reminded the group that the SB 1383 rulemaking workshops are being held May 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>, with the first being held at the Carlsbad Library. Both will be webcast from CalRecycle's website.

**Clem Brown, City of Del Mar:** Clem informed the group that Del Mar will also be hosting Earth Day activities, including composting workshops and working with the Solana Center of Environmental Innovation to conduct food waste reduction audits in select restaurants. Clem also shared that the City is continuing work with a consultant to make changes to their C&D diversion program and will also be moving forward with an ordinance regarding Tier 1 Green Building Code changes.

**Heather Heckman, City of Santee:** Heather announced that the Santree Day and Shredding Event will be held April 28 at Cajon Park Elementary School which will include tree planting and free document shredding.

**Bill Wilson, City of Encinitas:** Bill highlighted the recent success of the I Love A Clean San Diego and City of Encinitas zero waste workshop series. The third of the series, Zero Waste On-the-Go, will be held May 5.

**Lori Calvert, City of Escondido:** Lori announced the City's upcoming, 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Earth Day Poster Contest. Kindergarten through eighth grade students throughout Escondido's thirty-five schools turn waste into art by creating posters, only using materials destined for the trash or recycle bin. The winners' artwork is converted into a van wrap, in addition to being displayed in the City Hall.

**Leslie Webb-Blanco, City of Vista:** Leslie shared Vista's upcoming Earth Day festivities, which include Earth Day Fest at Alta Vista Gardens (4/15) and Creek to Bay Cleanup.

**Julie Sands Tyne, City of San Diego:** Julie announced that the City has partnered with EDCO, Parks & Recreation, and Zero Waste San Diego to host EarthFair at Balboa Park (4/22). The City will also be holding a free tax file recycling event April 18-25, where residents can recycle up to one box of documents.

Julie also informed the group that a company is offering a door-to-door service of picking up trash and recyclables from multifamily properties. The company has interest in presenting to the TAC.

**Carla Hutchinson, City of National City:** Carla shared that National City will be hosting two Creek to Bay Cleanup locations on April 21.

**Wbaldo Arellano, City of Imperial Beach:** Wbaldo announced Imperial Beach's upcoming events: Creek to Bay Cleanup (4/21), Annual Home Front Cleanup (5/5) where they have partnered with EDCO to accept appliances, furniture, metal, construction and demolition materials and e-waste, and the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Citywide Garage Sale (4/28).

Wbaldo also asked the group if they were familiar with the e-waste recycling company, San Diego EcoGreen Recycling. Properties in Imperial Beach had e-waste items that were collected by the company.

**IWMTAC Members:** There was discussion amongst members regarding whether grocery stores were still required to provide plastic bag recycling, due to the recent California bag ban. The group requests clarification on the topic.

**Pam Gravel, City of Poway:** Pam shared that Poway will be disseminating a newsletter discussing beverage container recycling and the Creek to Bay Cleanup Event.

Pam also informed the group that she received a call from a Walmart broker requesting information on whether they could use Ware Disposal's waste hauling services.

**Sarah Davis, City of Oceanside:** Sarah announced the City's upcoming GleanUp Day (4/21) where the City will be working with Produce Good to glean and collect residential citrus.

## **9. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS**

Meeting adjourned. The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, May 3, 2018.